

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
GALVESTON DIVISION

CHRISTIE BRIONES, *et al*,

Plaintiffs,

VS.

MENTOR WORLDWIDE, LLC, *et al*,

Defendants.

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CIVIL ACTION NO. G-11-145

SHANA McDEARMON,

Plaintiffs,

VS.

MENTOR WORLDWIDE, LLC, *et al*,

Defendants.

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CIVIL ACTION NO. G-11-149

TAMMIE FLOYD, *et al*,

Plaintiffs,

VS.

MENTOR WORLDWIDE, LLC, *et al*,

Defendants.

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CIVIL ACTION NO. G-11-150

BRANDY PEREZ, *et al*,

Plaintiffs,

VS.

MENTOR WORLDWIDE, LLC, *et al*,

Defendants.

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CIVIL ACTION NO. G-11-152

**ORDER FOLLOWING TELEPHONE SCHEDULING CONFERENCE
HELD ON June 8, 2011 at 8:45 a.m.**

Appearance for Plaintiff
Alton C. Todd

Appearance for Defendant
Dustin B. Rawlin

Pursuant to phone conference, the Court cancels the referral of cause numbers 3:11-cv-149 and 3:11-cv152, previously referred to Judge John Froeschner. Now, the Court consolidates, only for preemption discovery and disposition of the preemption issue, the four (4) breast implant cases pending, cause numbers 3:11-cv-145, 3:11-cv-149, 3:11-cv-150, and 3:11-cv-152. Cause number 3:11-cv-145 is designated as the lead case, and the other three member cases will be administrative stayed. After the preemption issue is resolved, the Court will determine whether an additional scheduling order is appropriate.

The following dates will instruct the Court and parties concerning preemption discovery and the submission of that issue to the Court:

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| a) Preemption discovery completed by | October 15, 2011 |
| b) Defendant's preemption motion by | November 15, 2011 |
| c) Plaintiffs' response by | December 10, 2011 |
| d) Reply, if any, by | December 20, 2011 |

It is so ORDERED.

SIGNED at Houston, Texas this 9th day of June, 2011.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kenneth M. Hoyt", written over a horizontal line.

Kenneth M. Hoyt
United States District Judge